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Honorable James H. Welsh,
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING
Proposed Downhole and Surface Combination
Hosston Zone, Reservoir A
HOSS RA SU25
Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A
CV RA SU25
Holly Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **WINCHESTER PRODUCTION COMPANY** (Applicant), to the Commissioner of Conservation for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, Holly Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana.

1. To permit the applicant to downhole combine the gas and condensate production from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the unit designated HOSS RA SU13 and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the unit designated CV RA SUI, in the well bore of the Winchester Production Company – Oden Heirs 30 No. 1 Well or in any other well located within the HOSS RA SU13 and CV RA SU I, Holly Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, such well and units shown on the attached plat and made a part hereof.
2. To permit the downhole combination of the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in any unit established by the 88-D and 88-E Series of Office of Conservation Orders in the Holly Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, without the necessity of a public hearing, after submission of appropriate data to and being accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation to indicate the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A Unit and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A Unit are the same size and shape and that the Royalty and Working Interest in unit are identical.
3. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem pertinent and appropriate.

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The Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Holly Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, was defined in the 88-D Series of Office of Conservation Orders and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, was defined in the 88-E Series of Office of Conservation Orders.

The pertinent data pertaining to this application is available for inspection at the Offices of Bob F. Anderson, PE, Inc., 400 Travis Street, Suite 209, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Bob Anderson 318/425-4230 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data that is otherwise not available from the Office of Conservation can be obtained **at the expense of the requesting party**.

The subject matter of this hearing does not require a pre-application notice.

Pursuant to the revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this notice of this application is being sent. A copy of this letter and the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and the Interested Parties as shown on the attached list.

Attached hereto is our check, made payable to the Office of Conservation, to cover the applicable hearing fee.

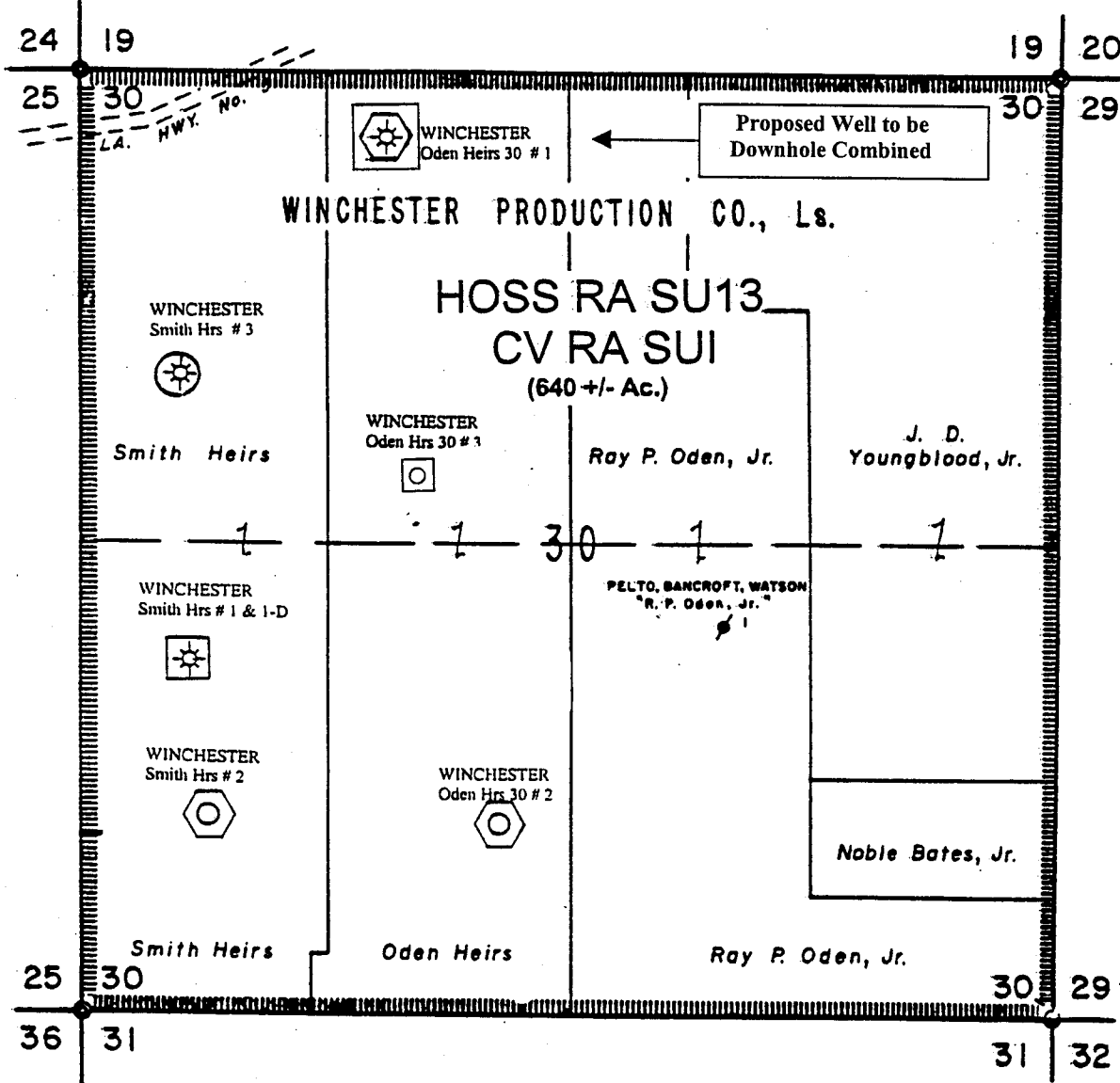
Yours truly,


B. F. Anderson, PE for

WINCHESTER PRODUCTION COMPANY

cc: Mr. James Broussard, District Manager Shreveport District Office of Conservation
Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

SECTION 30 , TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH , RANGE 13 WEST
DeSOTO PARISH, LOUISIANA



- HOSS RA UNIT WELL & ROD RA WELL
- HOSS RA ALT UNIT WELL LOC.
- CV RA WELL
- CV RA ALT UNIT WELL LOC.

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Docket No.	Date:	Exhibit No. 1
WINCHESTER PRODUCTION, CO. Jonesville, Texas		
HOLLY FIELD DeSoto Parish, Louisiana		
Plat Showing: Proposed Downhole Combination Hosston, RA and Cotton Valley, RA HOSS RA SU13 & CV RA SUI		